



Country	Institution	Module Description	ECTS
GR	HAFA	Military Ethics	2.0

Service	Minimum Qualification for Lecturers
AF	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Officers:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ English: Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) Level B2 or NATO STANAG Level 3.○ Thorough knowledge in Military Ethics○ Adequate knowledge in International Humanitarian Law○ Adequate knowledge of using simulations and role-playing to encourage participation and discussion• Civilian Lecturers:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ English: Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) Level B2 or NATO STANAG Level 3.○ Thorough knowledge in Military Ethics○ Adequate knowledge in International Humanitarian Law○ Adequate knowledge of using simulations and role-playing to encourage participation and discussion
Language English	
SQF MILOF	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Competence area: Combat-ready role model• Learning area: Ethics. General, ethics of the use of force, ROE, and protection of civilians• Organisation level: All levels

Prerequisites for international participants:	Contents of the Module
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• English: Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) Level B1 or NATO STANAG Level 2.• At least 1 year of national (military) higher education.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The ethics of the use of force and the role and importance of following ROE• The ethical use of force and the legal aspects of planning military operations and reflect derived requirements in relevant ROE.

Learning Outcomes	Knowledge	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Identify basic forms of moral reasoning and diverse ethical conceptions of war - before/during/after war.• Define aim and role of the major traditions of thought pertaining to justice and warfare.
	Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Develop the ability to think, decide, and plan for operational/tactical actions promoting respect for the Law of Armed Conflict, International Humanitarian Law, and the Rules of Engagement.
	Responsibility & Autonomy	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Make ethical and legal military decisions during critical situations understanding the dynamics of ethics, international humanitarian law and operational/tactical choices.

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Test	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Written assignment consisting of 1500 words delivered at the end of the module
Assignment	<ul style="list-style-type: none">An individual assignment will be given to analyse a case study or a historical or contemporary example and discuss ethical dilemmas during decision-making.
Simulation and tactical scenario training	<ul style="list-style-type: none">The principle of discrimination in urban warfare/combat (tactics, weapons and methods used) (simulation).Play in groups the engage in extreme scenarios (real-time war game).



Module Details

Main Topic	Recommended WH	Details
E-learning	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Familiarization with moral philosophy and ethical reasoning The concept of a just war
Individual ethics vs organizational code of ethics and	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Individual freedom to do what one considers is right vs the military decision-making structure Unethical/unlawful orders and the duty to (dis)obey
Ethics of War Fundamentals	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Just War theory, IHL and the use of force: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> When can a state resort to war? (Jus ad bellum) Are there rules on how states should wage war? (Jus in bello) Post-war ethics and justice (Jus post bellum)
Expanding the concept of just cause for war	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pre-emptive vs preventive war Understanding and discussing dissuasion
Ethics, Weapons and War	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NBC weapons Restricted and inhumane weapons Non-lethal weapons
The future of war ethics	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> New technologies, their application, and new ethics? For analysis and discussion, one can choose from the following list: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> AI, Robots and drones Space-based war Cyber warfare Information Warfare Hypersonic weapons Emerging technologies and new types of battlefields Human Enhancement
Preparation for applied case-studies analysis & simulations	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ethical reasoning and military decision-making in extreme situations Distinguishing right from wrong under pressure and handling ethical dilemmas on the battlefield
Movies as case-studies for role-playing: ethical, legal analysis and discussion	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A proposed list of movies, could include, but is not limited to the following films: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lone Survivor (2013) Eye in the Sky (2015) Apocalypse Now (1979) Black Hawk Down (2001) The Thin Red Line (1998) The Battle of Algiers (1966) Judgment at Nuremberg (1961)
Simulation and tactical	6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To apply the theoretical knowledge, one can choose from the following list:

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scenario training		<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Discussing discrimination and proportionality in urban warfare (tactics, weapons and methods used) (simulation)○ Play in groups the engage in extremis scenario (real time war game)○ The ticking time bomb scenario and how to confront with terrorism (role playing)
Test	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Module examination
Self-Study Hours		
Self-Study	20	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The self-study hours are required for the preparation of the daily lectures and for the individual assignment• Extra hours are required for the preparation and contribution at the case study of the course
Total WH	50	



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List of Abbreviations:

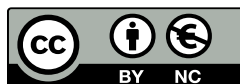
CEFR	Common European Framework of Reference for Languages
ECTS	European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organisation
STANAG	Standardization Agreement
WH	Working Hour
GDPR	General Data Protection Regulation
EU	European Union
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